

What is claimed is:

1. A gas generator comprising:

a container⁶⁰ having an outer shell⁵⁶;

a gas initiator⁵⁰ disposed in the container;

5 an igniter⁶⁴ disposed adjacent to the gas initiator for igniting the gas initiator; and

a partition⁵⁸ disposed in the outer shell for dividing the container into a plurality of gas initiator chambers and having a positioning member⁵⁹ for positioning the igniter inside the partition.

2. A gas generator according to claim 1, wherein said partition is cylindrical, and said positioning member is composed of projections⁵⁹ projecting from an inner peripheral surface of the partition.

3. A gas generator according to claim 1, wherein said positioning member is a stepped portion extending from an end of the partition.

4. A gas generator according to claim 1, wherein said igniter includes a squib⁶⁴, and a squib holder^{64b} for supporting the squib, said squib holder being positioned by the positioning member inside the partition.

5. A gas generator according to claim 4, wherein said partition includes a collar ^{58b} for holding the squib holder between the positioning member and the collar.

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